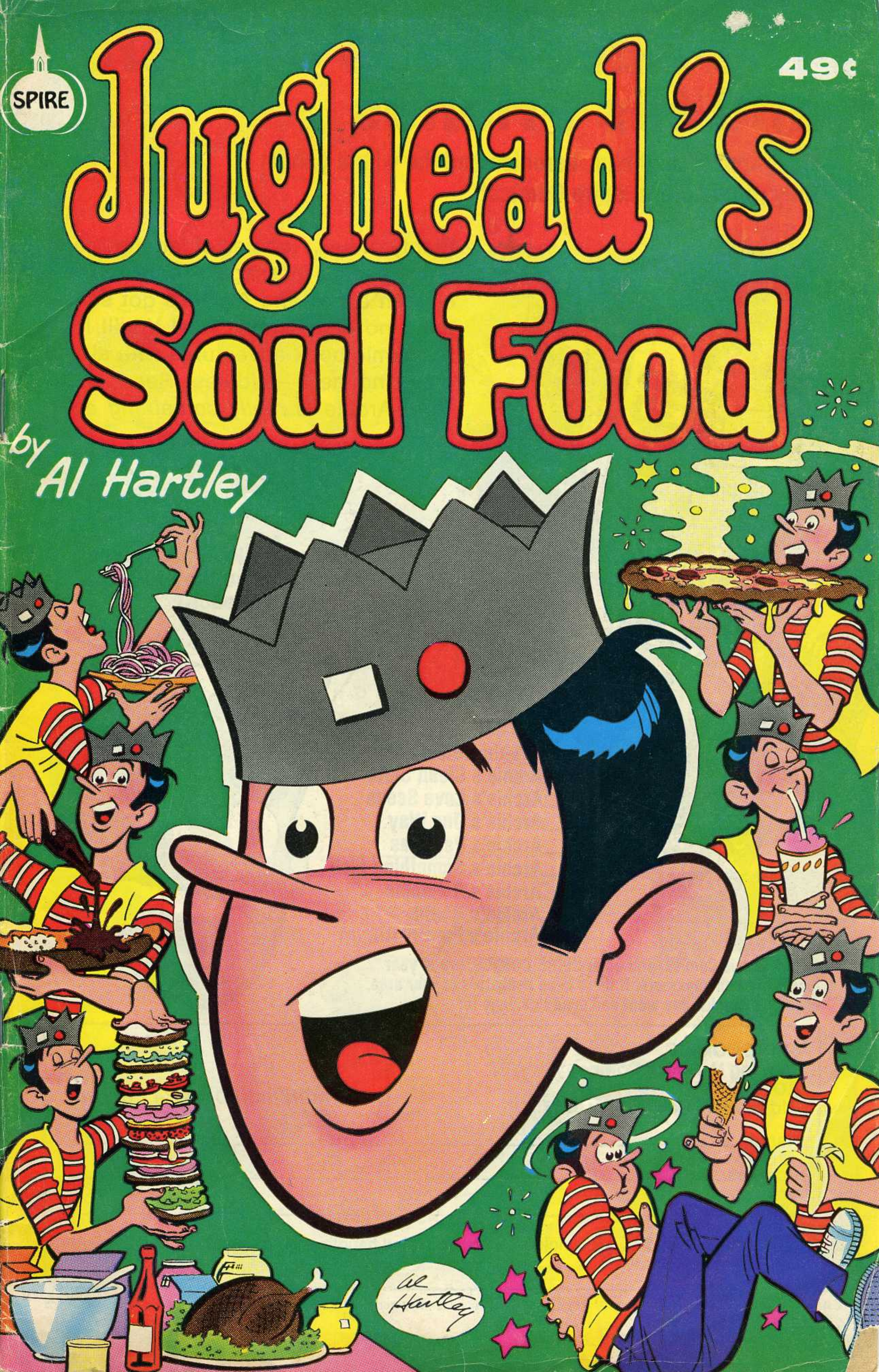
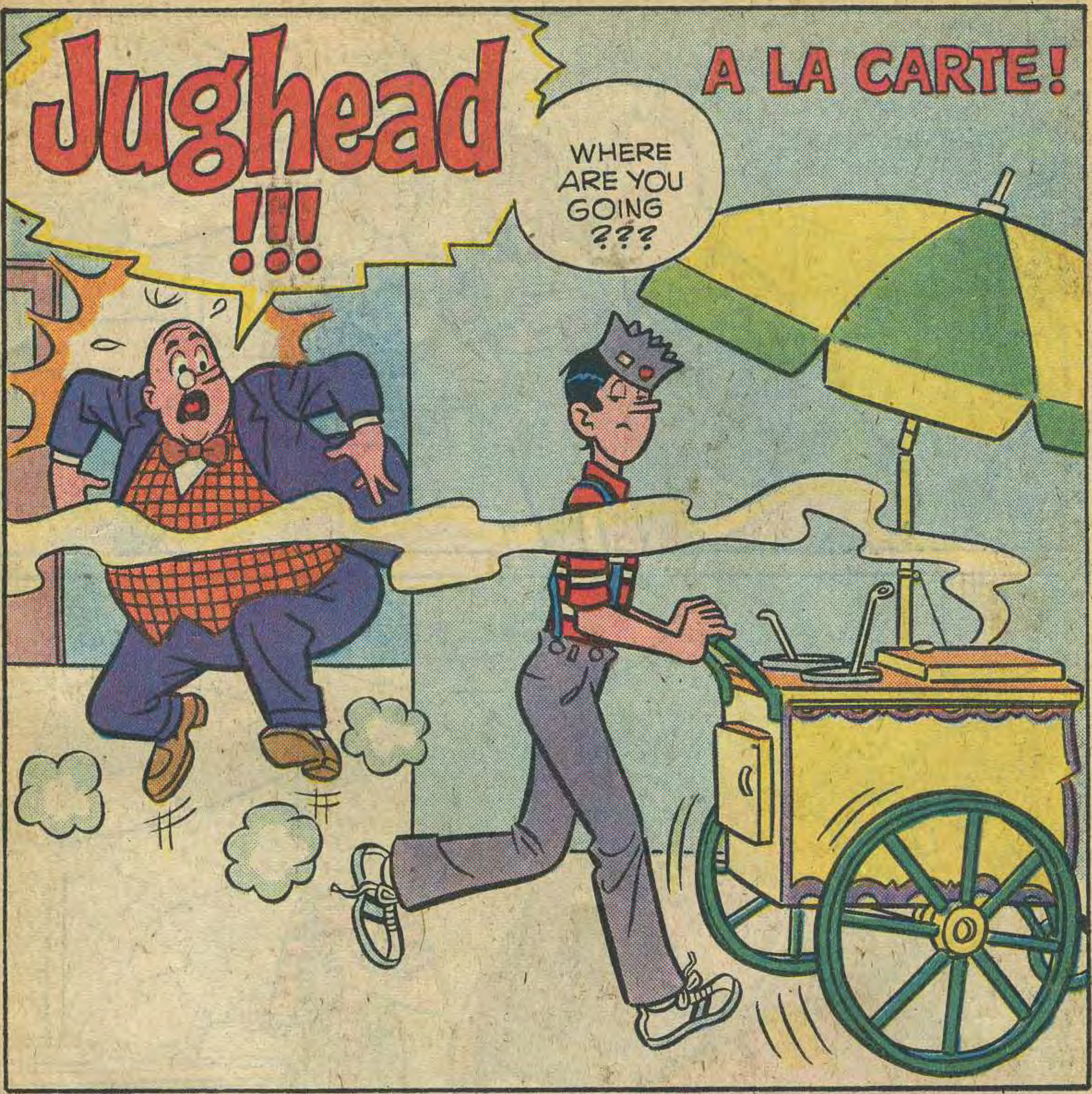
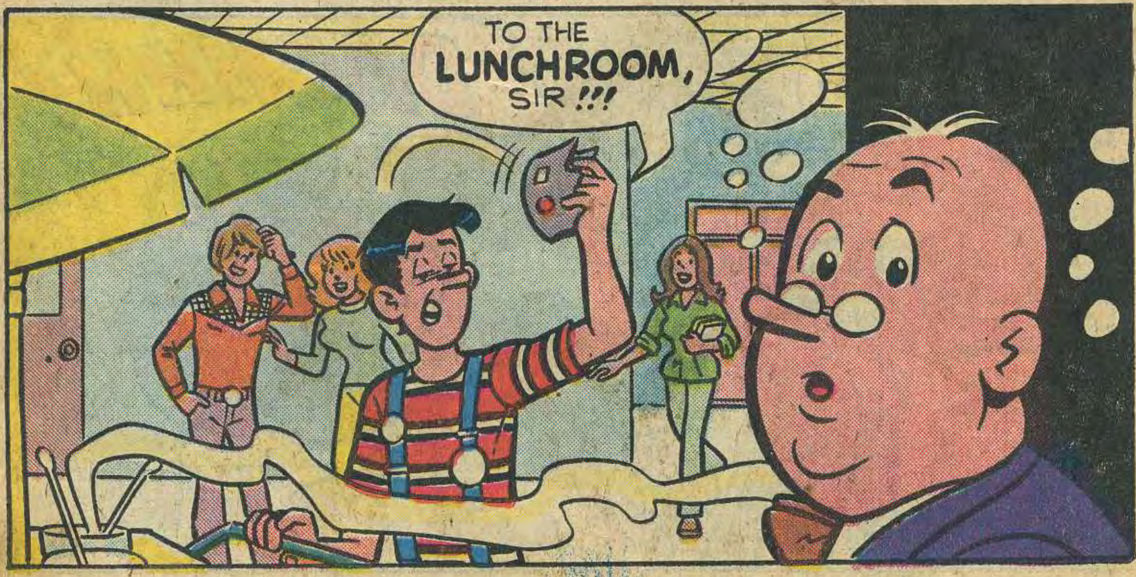
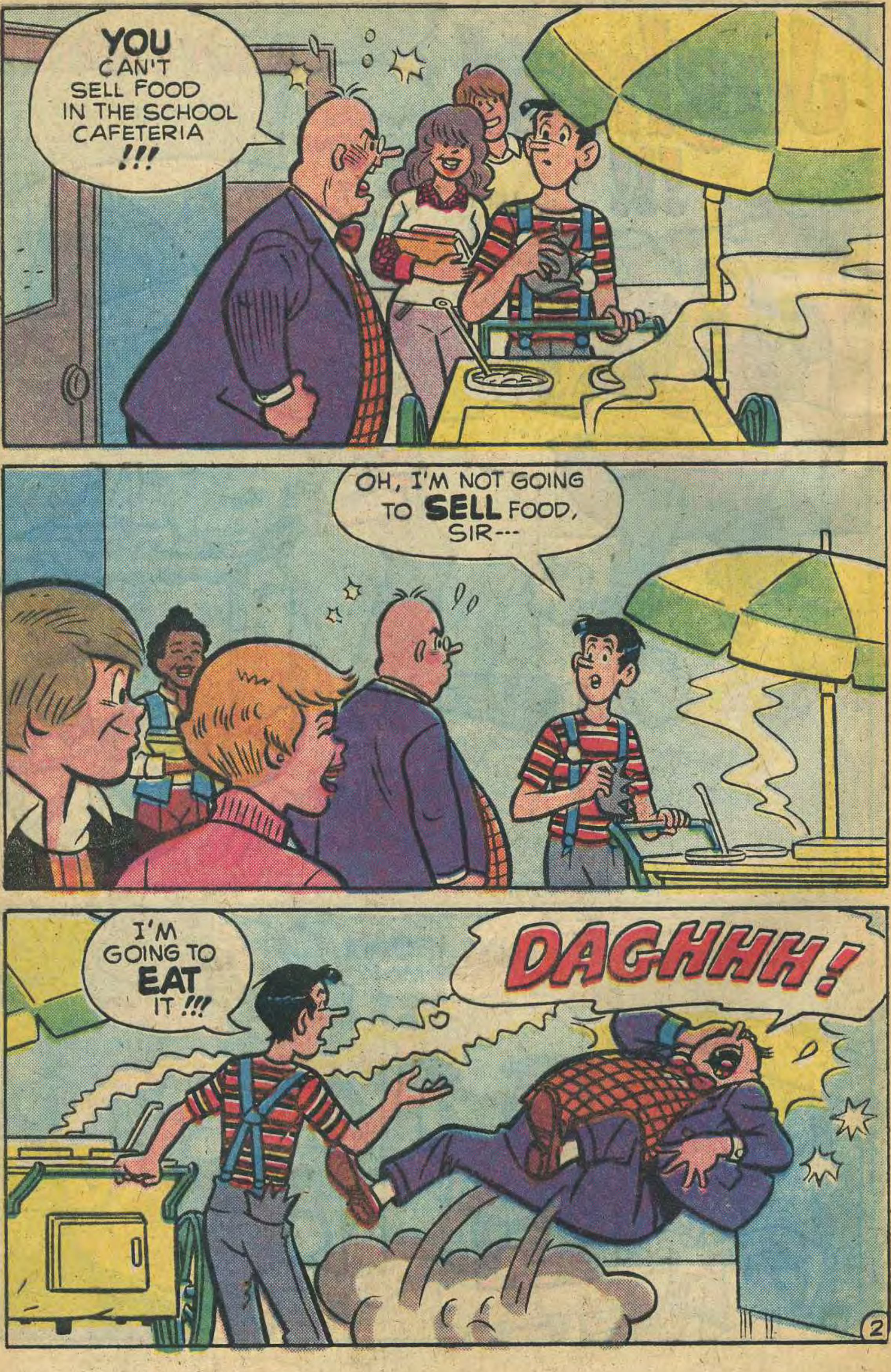

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Jughead !!!
A LA CARTE!
WHERE ARE YOU GOING ???


TO THE LUNCHROOM, SIR !!!


YOU CAN'T SELL FOOD IN THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA !!!
OH, I'M NOT GOING TO SELL FOOD, SIR---
I'M GOING TO EAT IT !!!
DAGHHH!
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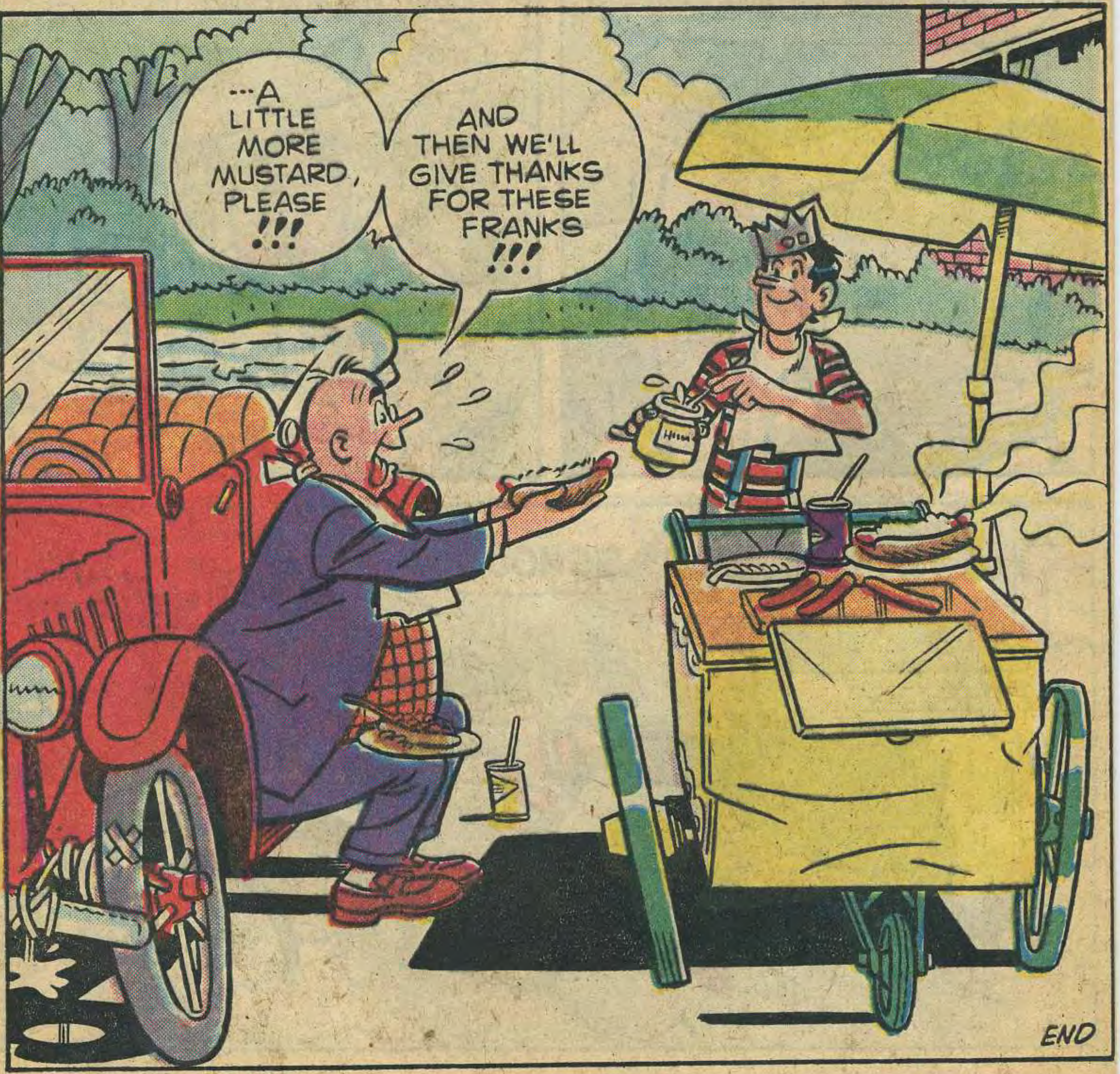
WHAT KIND OF JOKE IS THIS?
IT'S NO JOKE, SIR---
EVERY STUDENT IS PERMITTED TO BRING HIS LUNCH---
THAT'S RIGHT, BUT---
SO THIS IS MY LUNCH BOX !!!
JUGHEAD, THIS IS RIDICULOUS !!!
TAKE IT OUTSIDE IMMEDIATELY !!!
3


CAN I HELP IT IF I HAVE SUCH A HEALTHY APPETITE ?
IT'S NOT MY FAULT THAT MISS BEAZLY'S FOOD MAKES ME SICK !!!
YOU JUST TOUCHED A TENDER SPOT, JUGHEAD !!!
CAFETERIA
HASH
MISS BEAZLY'S COOKING ?
I CAN'T STAND IT EITHER !!!
4



ERIA
TODAY'S FRIDAY!
WE ALWAYS GET LEFTOVERS !!!
ECHHHH!!!
UH--- WHAT'S IN YOUR LUNCH BOX, JUGHEAD?
GOOD OLD HOT DOGS!
SAUERKRAUT,
BAKED BEANS !!!
I'M SORRY I CAN'T PERMIT THIS IN THE SCHOOL, JUGHEAD !!!
5


BUT WE CAN CERTAINLY ALLOW IT IN THE **PARKING LOT**!!!


...A LITTLE MORE MUSTARD, PLEASE !!!
AND THEN WE'LL GIVE THANKS FOR THESE FRANKS !!!
END


Jughead
I CAN'T BELIEVE MY EYES !!!
?
JUGHEAD HAS A DATE !!!
HMMPH !!!
AND HE SAYS HE CAN'T STAND GIRLS !!!
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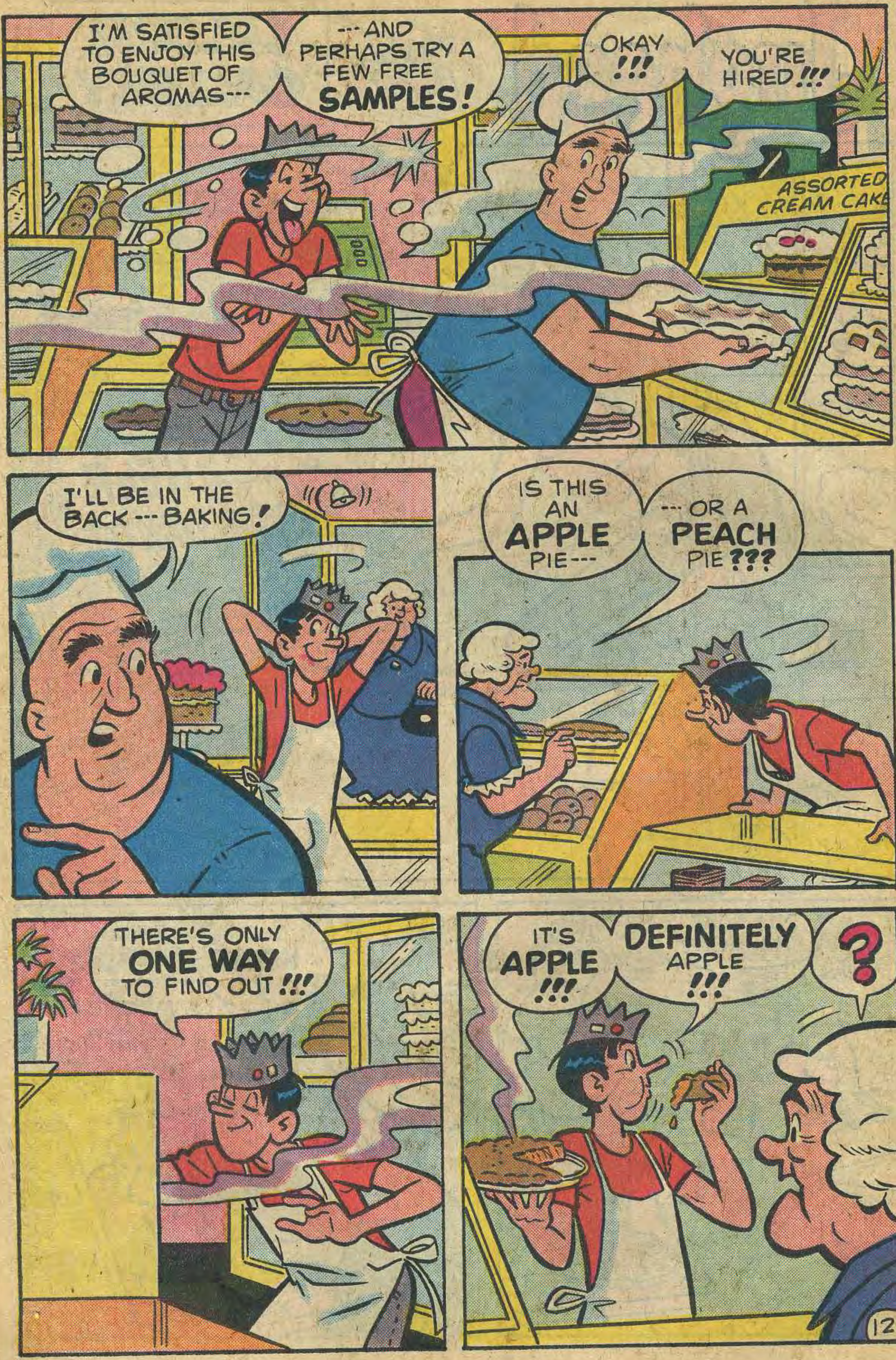

BUT LOOK AT HIM!
WATCHING TV WITH SOME FEATHER-CUT FLOOZY!!!
WELL, HE WON'T GET AWAY WITH THIS SNEAKY ROMANCE!!!
POOR BIG ETHEL!!!
SHE LOVES JUGHEAD!
---AND SHE'S SO JEALOUS!!!
R-N-G
I'M WISE TO YOU, JUGHEAD JONES!
WHA--- ???
I KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON INSIDE!!!
BUT---
8



DON'T GIVE MY ANY EXCUSES!!!
I---
MAYBE YOU CAN FOOL EVERYBODY ELSE---
BUT---
BUT YOU CAN'T FOOL ME!!!
I HOPE THAT HUSSY ON THE SOFA MAKES YOU VERY HAPPY!!!
I'LL NEVER UNDERSTAND WOMEN!!!


HOT DOG
SLURP!
SMAK!
10


Jughead
CALORIE GALLERY
BAKERY
HELP WANTED APPLY WITHIN
I'LL TAKE THE JOB!
ZIP
AREN'T YOU INTERESTED IN THE SALARY ???
THE HOURS ?
FRINGE BENEFITS ?
UNIMPORTANT DETAILS !!!
11


I'M SATISFIED TO ENJOY THIS BOUQUET OF AROMAS---
--- AND PERHAPS TRY A FEW FREE SAMPLES!
OKAY !!!
YOU'RE HIRED !!!
ASSORTED CREAM CAKE
I'LL BE IN THE BACK --- BAKING!
IS THIS AN APPLE PIE---
--- OR A PEACH PIE ???
THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO FIND OUT !!!
IT'S APPLE !!!
DEFINITELY APPLE !!!
?
12


THEN THIS MUST BE PEACH!
LET'S MAKE SURE !!!
IT'S PEACH !!!
WELL, I'D LIKE SOMETHING THAT HASN'T BEEN TASTED!!!
GIVE ME ONE DOZEN NAPOLEONS !!!
THERE ARE ONLY ELEVEN !!!
YOU ATE ONE ???
DELICIOUS !!!
WELL--- WHAT ABOUT SOME ECLAIRS ???
THEY WERE EXCELLENT !!!
YOU MEAN YOU ATE THEM ALL???
THERE WERE ONLY TWO DOZEN!!!
13



VERY WELL---
I'LL TAKE THIS CREAM PIE !!!
ASSORTED CREAM CAKE
WILL YOU TAKE IT WITH YOU---
OR WILL YOU EAT IT HERE ???
I'VE GOT A BETTER IDEA !!!
SPLAT!
ON YOU IT LOOKS GOOD !!!
BAKERY


Jughead
the MOMENT OF TOOTH!
JUGHEAD IS STILL EATING MORE THAN HE'S SELLING!!!
OOOHH! GROAN
THINGS FINALLY CAUGHT UP WITH HIM!
I KNEW HE'D GET SICK!!!
MOOSE
0
15


IT'S NOT MY STOMACH !!!
IT'S MY TOOTH !!!
ALL THOSE SWEETS---
AND MY CAVITIES !!!
IT'S AWFUL !!!
I'M DYING !!!
US MAIL
TAKE HIM TO THE DENTIST !!!
THE PAIN STOPPED !!!
I'M OKAY NOW !!!
LET'S GO HOME !!!
KEEP GOING, ARCH !!!
POW!
16


THIS IS AN EMERGENCY !!!
HELP!
I'M BEING HIJACKED !!!
YOU CAN WAIT OUTSIDE NOW!
DON'T LEAVE ME !!!
I'M FINE NOW !!!
YEOOWW!


OWWW!
ARGGHH!
EEAAOW!
DOCTOR! CAN'T YOU GIVE HIM A PAINKILLER ???
BUT I'M ONLY TAKING AN X RAY !!!
18



MR. SVENSON
CRUMBS !!!
ON MY FLOOR !!!
ONLY ONE PERSON WOULD DO THIS !!!
AND I KNOW WHO HE IS !!!
!?


BIG Moose
TODAY MENU
THAT TRAY WOULD CHOKE A HORSE !!!
BIG MOOSE IS A BIG GUY WITH A BIG APPETITE !!!
ANY COMMENTS ON THAT ???
I WON'T EVEN TRY !!!
20


MAY I JOIN YOU ?
HOW CAN JUST **TWO MEN** EAT ALL THAT FOOD ???
SHALL WE PRAY ???
PRAY ???
MOOS
SURE! I LIKE TO THANK GOD FOR MY FOOD!
DUH--- I NEVER DO THAT!!!
MY **DOG** DOESN'T EITHER!
HE JUST **EATS!!!**
HE CAN'T UNDERSTAND THE REAL MIRACLES THAT GOD PUTS INTO OUR FOOD!
MILK
21


MAN CAN BUY A SEED---
BUT HE CAN'T CREATE ONE !!!
MAN CAN PLANT A SEED---
BUT ONLY GOD CAN MAKE IT GROW !!!
AND LOOK--- GOD MADE MELONS TO ABSORB ANY KIND OF WATER FROM THE SOIL--- AND MAKE IT PURE TO DRINK !!!
WOW !!!
I GUESS I JUST TOOK THINGS LIKE THAT FOR GRANTED !!!
EVERY TIME WE EAT, WE'RE REMINDED OF HOW GREAT GOD IS !!!
MILK
22


Jughead PRAYER PAGE
THANK YOU, LORD, FOR MY DAILY BREAD---
AND THE APPETITE TO ENJOY IT!
LORD, PLEASE GIVE ME PATIENCE WITH ARCHIE--- HE DRIVES ME UP THE WALL SOME TIMES!
THANK YOU, GOD, FOR MY FRIENDS WHO BRING LOVE AND ENCOURAGEMENT INTO MY LIFE!
JESUS, YOU SAID WE SHOULD LOVE OTHERS AS WE LOVE OURSELVES!
PLEASE HELP ME TO DO THAT!
LORD WE'VE GOT A PROBLEM IN OUR FAMILY --- PLEASE HELP US TO FIND YOUR SOLUTION!
LORD, I DON'T HAVE THE FAITH MY FRIENDS HAVE---
HELP ME TO TRUST YOU MORE!
THANK YOU, GOD, FOR THE FANTASTIC DIFFERENCE CHRIST MAKES IN MY LIFE!!!
I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH MY LIFE, LORD--- PLEASE SHOW ME!
YESTERDAY I DID SOMETHING WRONG, JESUS --- PLEASE FORGIVE ME!
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BIG Ethel
DON'T EAT YOUR HEART OUT FOR HIM, BIG ETHEL!!!
I CAN'T HELP MYSELF!!!
SUNDAE 75¢
I'M IN LOVE WITH THAT WALKING DISPOSALL!
BUT HE DOESN'T KNOW I EXIST!!!
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I'VE TRIED EVERYTHING TO GET HIS ATTENTION !!!
THE HANKY BIT---
PLOP!
I CARRY HIS BOOKS---
THE SLINKY THING---
DO HIS HOMEWORK---
BUT NOTHING WORKS !!!


WELL, YOU KNOW---
THE WAY TO A MAN'S HEART IS THROUGH HIS STOMACH !!!
THAT I HAVEN'T TRIED !!!
SO GIVE IT A WHIRL !!!
OH, JUGGIE
I'D LIKE TO TEACH YOU TO EAT !!!
YOU'RE KIDDING !!!
I MEAN---
YOU COULD ENJOY YOUR FOOD MORE !!!
NOBODY ENJOYS FOOD MORE THAN I DO !!!
YES!
BUT EVEN GREATER EATING ADVENTURES AWAIT YOU, JUGGIE !!!
COME TO MY HOUSE TONIGHT AND FIND OUT !!!
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I WOULDN'T GO TO BIG ETHEL'S TO WATCH TV ---
--- OR TO LISTEN TO STEREO ---
--- BUT IF EATING'S INVOLVED !!!
RING
OH, JUGGIE !!!
YOU BROUGHT ME A BOUQUET !!!
BOUQUET ?
!
?
THAT'S OUR SALAD !!!
JUST PUT SOME DRESSING ON IT !!!
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NOW---
HOW DO I GET MORE FUN OUT OF EATING ? ???
FIRST OF ALL---
SLOW DOWN !!!
IT ISN'T POLITE TO EAT FAST !!!
THE FASTER I EAT---
THE QUICKER I GET TO THE DESSERT !!!
ANOTHER THING---
WHEN YOU HOLD YOUR FORK---POINT YOUR LITTLE FINGER LIKE THIS !!!
I MAY POINT MY WHOLE BODY OUT THAT DOOR IF THIS KEEPS UP !!!
28


THE MAIN THING, JUGGIE, IS WHAT YOU EAT!!!
NOW WE'RE GETTING SOMEWHERE!!!
TRY THESE HEALTH FOODS!!!
?
ALFALFA SPROUTS
MUNG BEAN SPROUTS
KELP
ROSE HIPS
SOYBEAN PATTIES
WITH THIS DIET, YOU'LL HAVE A NEW BODY!!!
THAT'S WHAT I'M AFRAID OF!!!
29


PROF. FLUTESNOOT
PEOPLE HAVE A GREATER RESPECT FOR THEIR BODIES TODAY !!!
GOOD HEALTH
PROTEIN DIGESTIBILITY
HEALTH FOOD AND VITAMINS ARE BIG!!!
MILK
WHEAT GERMS
ASSORTED NUTS
AND SO IS JOGGING!!!
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THE MORE WE UNDERSTAND OUR BODIES---
THE MORE AMAZED WE ARE !!!
MAN WILL NEVER BUILD A COMPUTER SYSTEM AS FANTASTIC AS OUR BRAIN !!!
OUR EYES ARE INSTANT, AUTOMATIC CAMERAS THAT NEED NO ADJUSTMENT FOR DISTANCE OR EXPOSURE !!!
EVERY PART OF OUR BODY PERFORMS AN AMAZING FUNCTION !!!
HERE'S A SONG KING DAVID WROTE TO HIS CREATOR :
THANK YOU, LORD, FOR GIVING ME SUCH AN INCREDIBLE BODY--- YOU PUT IT ALL TOGETHER PERFECTLY, I KNOW YOU CREATED ME! *
*SEE PSALMS 139:14
IF GOD IS SMART ENOUGH TO DESIGN OUR BODIES---
HE'S SMART ENOUGH TO SHOW US HOW TO TAKE CARE OF THEM!
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THE BIBLE SAYS OUR BODY IS OUR HOME !!!
-- IT'S WHERE WE REALLY LIVE !!!
AND WE OUGHT TO KEEP OUR BODIES CLEAN AND PURE !!!
JESUS WANTS TO LIVE IN US, TOO !!!
I PRAY THAT CHRIST WILL BE AT HOME IN YOUR HEART--- LIVING WITHIN YOU AS YOU TRUST HIM--- *
SO YOU CAN UNDERSTAND, AS ALL GOD'S CHILDREN SHOULD, HOW GREAT HE IS! *
SEE EPHESIANS 3:17-19
IT'S TRUE! JESUS WANTS TO ENTER YOUR LIFE! HE'LL BRING YOU A GREAT PEACE AND JOY AND LOVE! JUST TRUST HIM... AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS!
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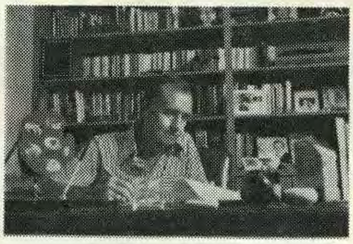
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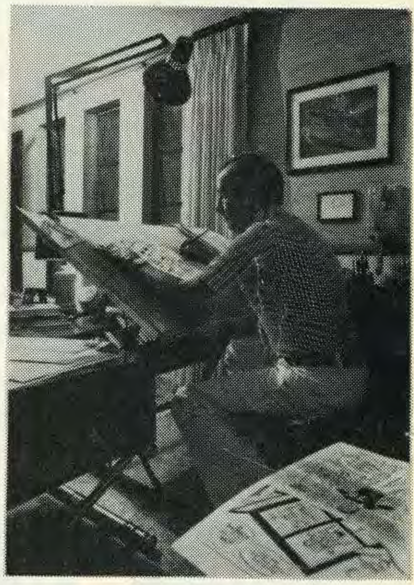
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